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Re: Retention of Copper Sulfate in organic farming: Plant Protection and Plant Production

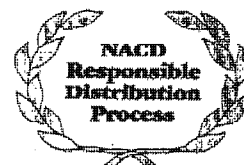
Dear Mr Neal:

Chem One Ltd submits this comment regarding the use of Copper Sulfate by organic growers. Copper sulfate is used as a plant micronutrient (fertilizer), an algicide and for invertebrate pest control in rice fields.

Chem One supports the organic growers who need copper sulfate for these purposes and hopes that the review board will retain copper sulfate for use in organic farming.

Sincerely,

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